

Docket No.: 043920-0032



PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Fernando L. ALVARADO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5984
Application No.: 09/522,709 : Group Art Unit: 3693
Filed: March 10, 2000 : Examiner: James M. Alpert

For: METHOD FOR MANAGING RISK IN MARKETS RELATED TO COMMODITIES DELIVERED OVER A NETWORK

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
☒ Also attached: Petition for Four-month Extension of Time

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	16	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	8	8	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for four-month extension of time					\$1,590.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$1590.00

- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$1590.00.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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